



BIOGRAPHY



UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

COLONEL ROBERT D. REYNER

Colonel Robert D. Reyner is the Commander for the 150th Special Operations Wing, Kirtland AFB, New Mexico. The 150th Special Operations Wing is responsible for training combat ready aircrews and performs aircraft maintenance and sortie generation. The Wing also includes an Intelligence Surveillance and Reconnaissance Squadron, a REDHORSE mobile engineering squadron, a Power Production mission and multiple agile combat support capabilities. Colonel Reyner is responsible for training and equipping the over 900 Wing personnel to support both state and federal missions.



Prior to his current assignment, he served as the Director of Operations (A3), Headquarters New Mexico Air National Guard, Kirtland AFB, New Mexico. The Joint Force Headquarters commands and controls all National Guard units assigned to the state in order to provide trained, equipped and ready forces capable of accomplishing a full spectrum of federal and state missions. In his capacity as the A3, Colonel Reyner served as the senior operations representative for the NMANG. He developed and oversaw strategic goals, conveyed state policies, formulated long and short term operational plans and served as the Director of Strategic Plans and Policy on the New Mexico Joint Staff.

Colonel Reyner graduated from the University of New Mexico in 1992 and subsequently enlisted in the NMANG as an F-16 egress technician. He was commissioned in the unit and soon thereafter went on to fill a variety of squadron/group roles as an F-16C/D pilot, mission commander, instructor and evaluator. When the 150th Fighter Wing entered a Total Force Integration with the 58th Special Operations Wing, Colonel Reyner took on the role of Unit Conversion Officer and was one of the first unit pilots to attend full C-130H and follow on HC-130P/N conversion training.

Colonel Reyner also served as the Commander of the 188th Fighter Squadron and 188th Rescue Squadron, New Mexico Air National Guard, Kirtland AFB, N.M. He is a command pilot with more than 2600 flying hours including more than 100 combat hours. He has served in operations Southern Watch, Northern Watch, Noble Eagle and Iraqi Freedom.

EDUCATION

1992 Bachelor of Arts in Sociology, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, N.M.
2003 Squadron Officer School
2009 Air Command and Staff College
2012 Air War College
2013 FEMA Incident Command System Training

ASSIGNMENTS

1. December 1992 – November 1994, F-16C/D egress technician, 150th Fighter Wing, Kirtland AFB, N.M.
2. November 1994 – December 1995, student, undergraduate pilot training, Sheppard AFB, Texas.
3. August 1996 - March 1997, F-16 Basic and LANTIRN Courses, 162nd Fighter Squadron, Tucson, Ariz.

ASSIGNMENTS cont.

4. March 1997 - October 2001, squadron pilot, standards and evaluations liaison officer, 188th Fighter Squadron, Kirtland AFB, N.M.
5. October 2001 – October 2007, Defense Systems Evaluation pilot then assistant Chief, and Chief of Weapons and Tactics, 188th Fighter Squadron, Kirtland AFB, N.M.
6. October 2007 – August 2011, Flight Commander and Chief of Standards and Evaluations 188th Fighter Squadron, Kirtland AFB, N.M.
7. August, 2011 – February 2012, Commander, 188th Fighter Squadron, Kirtland AFB, N.M.
8. February 2012 – March 2013, Commander, 188th Rescue Squadron, Kirtland AFB, N.M.
9. March 2013 – September 2014, Director of Operations (A3), Headquarters New Mexico Air National Guard, Kirtland AFB, N.M.
10. September 2014 – Present, Commander, 150th Special Operations Wing, New Mexico Air National Guard, Kirtland AFB, N.M.

FLIGHT INFORMATION

Rating: Command pilot
Flight hours: More than 2600
Aircraft flown: AT-38, F-16A/B/C/D, C-130H, HC-130P/N

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Meritorious Service Medal with three oak leaf clusters
Air Medal
Aerial Achievement Medal
Air Force Commendation Medal
Combat Readiness Medal National
Defense Service Medal Armed
Forces Expeditionary Medal Iraq
Campaign Medal
Global War on Terrorism Service Medal

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant	Sept. 29, 1994
First Lieutenant	Jan. 22, 1997
Captain	Jan. 28, 1999
Major	Jan. 26, 2005
Lieutenant Colonel	Sept. 9, 2009
Colonel	May 22, 2014

(Current as of September 2014)